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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
 SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

HIGH SIERRA HIKERS ASSOCIATION, ) No. 09-4621 VRW

Plaintiff, )

v. )

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF )  
 THE INTERIOR ET AL., )

Defendants. )

**STIPULATION AND ~~PROPOSED~~  
 ORDER REFERRING CASE TO  
 MEDIATION**

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED by and between the parties to this action by and through their designated counsel, subject to the Court's approval, that this case is referred to mediation. The parties are scheduled to mediate with Howard A. Herman, Director of ADR Programs for this Court, on February 5, 2010. The parties understand from Mr. Herman that an order from this Court referring the case to mediation is required in order for the mediation to take place.

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PURSUANT TO STIPULATION, IT IS SO ORDERED:

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